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## CONGRESSIONAL RECORD — DAILY DIGEST

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**Committee Meetings****AGRICULTURAL MISCELLANY**

*Committee on Agriculture:* Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

- H.R. 11745, a private bill;
- H.R. 11554, a private bill;
- S. 2859, to amend the Federal Crop Insurance Act, in order to increase the number of new counties in which crop insurance may be offered each year;
- S. 3120, regarding the movement of diseased animals;
- H.R. 11111, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell and convey certain lands in the State of Iowa;
- H.R. 12434 (amended), to facilitate the work of the Forest Service;
- H.R. 12653 (amended), to amend the Consolidated Farmers Home Administration Act of 1961 in order to increase the limitation on the amount of loans which may be insured under subtitle A of such act;
- H.R. 12855 (amended), relating to the lease and transfer of tobacco acreage allotments;
- H.R. 12811 (amended), to facilitate the work of the Department of Agriculture;
- H.R. 12802, to provide further for cooperation with States in administration and enforcement of certain Federal laws; and

S. 3152, to provide for the nutritional enrichment and sanitary packaging of rice prior to its distribution under certain Federal programs, including the national school lunch program.

Passed over without prejudice S. 3517, to establish and carry out a program to promote the flow of domestically produced lumber in commerce; and S. 2121, to establish Federal agricultural services to Guam; and voted to accept Senate amendments to H.R. 8520, to limit financial and technical assistance for drainage of certain wetlands.

**JOINT BRIEFING**

*Committees on Armed Services, Foreign Affairs:* The committees met in executive session for a joint briefing on critical world problems by Secretary of State Dean Rusk; William P. Bundy, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs; and Lt. Gen. Marshall S. Carter, Acting Director, Central Intelligence Agency.

**HOME LOANS**

*Committee on Banking and Currency:* Subcommittee on Housing heard testimony from Joseph P. McMurray, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board, on H.R. 13044, to amend the Home Owners Loan Act of 1933, and the Federal Home Loan Bank Act.

In executive session ordered the bill reported favorably to the full committee.

**SMALL BUSINESS ACT**

*Committee on Banking and Currency:* Subcommittee No. 2 continued hearings on H.R. 10518, and related bills, to amend the Small Business Act, to provide that the program under which Government contracts are set aside for small business concerns shall not apply in the case of contracts for maintenance, repair, or construction. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Thursday, September 13.

**D.C. BUSINESS**

*Committee on the District of Columbia:* Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 12690, to permit investment of funds of insurance companies organized within D.C. in obligations of the Inter-American Development Bank;

H.R. 12417, to establish a small claims and conciliation branch in the municipal court for D.C.;

S. 1651 (amended), to authorize the Commissioners of D.C. to delegate the function of approving contracts not exceeding \$100,000;

S. 2795 (amended), to prohibit the use by collecting agencies and private detective agencies of any name, emblem, or insignia which reasonably tends to convey the impression that any such agency is an agency of the government of D.C.;

H.R. 12546 (amended), to amend the Life Insurance Company Act of D.C.;

H.R. 12762 (amended), to amend the D.C. Unemployment Compensation Act; and

S. 2977, to amend the Life Insurance Act of D.C.

**SHARPE GENERAL DEPOT—CALIFORNIA**

*Committee on Government Operations:* Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization heard testimony from Department of Army personnel regarding construction of an airfield at Sharpe General Depot, Lathrop, Calif. Hearings continue Thursday, September 13.

**PRIVATE CLAIMS**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee No. 2 took testimony and, in executive session, acted on several private claim bills.

**FISH**

*Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries:* Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation concluded hearings on H.R. 11343, and related bills, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to initiate a salmon and steelhead development program in California; and H.R. 9547, to facilitate the application and operation of the Fish and Wildlife Act of 1956. Testimony was given by Department of Interior witnesses (H.R. 9547); and a public witness (H.R. 11343).

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## HIGHWAYS—ALASKA

*Committee on Public Works*: Met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

S.J. Res. 137, to authorize the Secretary of Commerce, in cooperation with the State of Alaska, to undertake studies and surveys relative to a highway construction program for Alaska; and

H.R. 11047, to change the name of the Redondo Beach Harbor, Calif., to the Redondo Beach King Harbor, Calif.

Also approved four navigation resolutions.

*Joint Committee Meetings*

## FARM BILL

*Conferees* continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12391, proposed Food and Agriculture Act of 1962, and reached tentative agreement thereon, and will meet again on Friday, September 14.

## AID TO HIGHER EDUCATION

*Conferees* continued, in executive session, to resolve the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 8900, authorizing Federal financial assistance for institutions of higher education, but did not reach final agreement, and will meet again on Monday, September 17.

## APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

*Conferees*, in executive session, agreed to file a conference report on the differences between the Senate- and House-passed versions of H.R. 12870, fiscal 1963 appropriations for military construction.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY,  
SEPTEMBER 13

(All meetings are open unless otherwise designated)

## Senate

*Committee on Appropriations*, to continue executive hearings on fiscal 1963 budget estimates for foreign aid, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., 1223 New Senate Office Building.

*Committee on Armed Services*, executive, on committee business, 10:30 a.m., 212 Old Senate Office Building.

*Committee on Banking and Currency*, executive, on H.R. 7796, limitations on real estate loans; H.R. 8874, re bank service corporations; H.R. 12577, trust powers of national banks; H.R. 12899, bank branches on conversion, etc.; H.R. 12628, housing for the elderly; H.R. 12080, interest rates on time deposits of foreign governments; and the nomination of Paul J. Maguire, of New York, to be assayer of the U.S. Assay Office at New York, 10 a.m., 5302 New Senate Office Building.

*Committee on Commerce*, to continue its hearings on S. 3242 and S. 3243, the administration's transportation bills, 9:30 a.m., 5110 New Senate Office Building.

Merchant Marine and Fisheries Subcommittee, to resume hearings on S. 3649, relating to the vessels *Montauk* and *Glenbrook*, 10 a.m., 1318 New Senate Office Building.

*Committee on Finance*, executive, on H.R. 11970, proposed Trade Expansion Act, 10 a.m., 2221 New Senate Office Building.

*Committee on Government Operations*, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, on the financial activities of Billie Sol Estes, 10 a.m., 318 Old Senate Office Building.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, to continue its hearings on the nomination of Arthur J. Goldberg, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, 10:30 a.m., 2228 New Senate Office Building.

*Committee on Labor and Public Welfare*, Subcommittee on Health, on S. 2269 and H.R. 11099, authorizing establishment within the PHS of a National Institute of Child Health and Human Development and a National Institute of General Medical Sciences, 10 a.m., 4232 New Senate Office Building.

*Committee on Public Works*, Subcommittee on Flood Control—Rivers and Harbors, to continue hearings on the omnibus flood control bill, 10 a.m., 4200 New Senate Office Building.

## House

*Committee on Armed Services*, executive, on H.J. Res. 876, re President's standby authority to call up Reserves, 10 a.m., 313-A Old House Office Building.

*Committee on Banking and Currency*, executive, on pending business, 11 a.m., 1301 New House Office Building.

Subcommittee No. 2, on H.R. 10518, and related bills, to amend the Small Business Act, 10 a.m., 1301 New House Office Building.

*Committee on the District of Columbia*, Subcommittee No. 4, executive, on pending legislation, 10 a.m., 445-A Old House Office Building.

*Committee on Education and Labor*, executive, on pending business, 9:45 a.m., 429 Old House Office Building.

*Committee on Foreign Affairs*, Subcommittee on Europe, on captive nations, 10 a.m., P-58, U.S. Capitol Building.

*Committee on Government Operations*, Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations, on grain storage, 10 a.m., caucus room, Old House Office Building.

Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization, on Sharpe General Depot, Lathrop, Calif., airfield construction project, 9:30 a.m., 1501-B New House Office Building.

*Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs*, Subcommittee on Public Lands, on S. 1065, H.R. 11710, H.R. 12473, and H.R. 9098, public lands measures, 9:45 a.m., 1324 New House Office Building.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, Subcommittee No. 1, on population and immigration study, 10 a.m., 327 Old House Office Building.

*Committee on Post Office and Civil Service*, executive, on pending business, 10 a.m., 215 Old House Office Building.

*Committee on Public Works*, Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors, on title I of the omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill, 10 a.m., 1302 New House Office Building.

*Committee on Science and Astronautics*, Subcommittee No. 4, on weather satellite program, 10 a.m., 214-B New House Office Building.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, executive, on miscellaneous bills, 10 a.m., committee room, New House Office Building.

*Select Committee on Export Control*, on policy changes since amendment of Export Control Act, 9:30 a.m., 304 Old House Office Building.

## Joint Committee

*Joint Committee on Atomic Energy*, to hold hearings on progress in the development of nuclear rockets and other atomic energy devices for use in space, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., room AE-1, Capitol.

*Conferees*, executive, on S. 1037, proposed Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act, 10 a.m., room F-82, Capitol.

Central Intelligence Agency, 10 a.m., 313-A Old House Office Building.

*Committee on Banking and Currency*, Subcommittee No. 2, on H.R. 10518, and related bills, to amend the Small Business Act, 10 a.m., 1301 New House Office Building.

Subcommittee on Housing, on H.R. 13044, to amend the Home Owners' Loan Act of 1933 and the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, 2 p.m., 1301 New House Office Building.

*Committee on the District of Columbia*, executive, on pending legislation, 11 a.m., 445-A Old House Office Building.

*Committee on Education and Labor*, Ad Hoc Subcommittee on the Investigation of the International Ladies Garment Workers Union, 9:45 a.m., 429 Old House Office Building.

*Committee on Foreign Affairs*. (See Committee on Armed Services.)

*Committee on Government Operations*, Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization, on military construction activities, 10 a.m., 1501 New House Office Building.

*Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs*, on H.R. 11781, to redesignate the Big Hole Battlefield National Monument; S. 77, re Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park; H.R. 12747, re economic development of the Virgin Islands; H.R. 9712, re reserved mineral interests; H.R. 11165, re outdoor recreation planning; H.R. 11172, re land conservation fund; H.R. 12528, re recreational area, park, and seashore planning; S. 543, re preservation of certain shoreline areas of the U.S.; and S. 3153, to guarantee electric consumers in the Pacific Northwest

first call on electric energy generated at Federal plants in that region, 9:45 a.m., 1324 New House Office Building.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, Subcommittee No. 2, executive, on pending legislation, 10 a.m., 327 Old House Office Building.

*Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries*, Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation, to continue on H.R. 11343, and related bills, to initiate a salmon and steelhead development program in Alaska; and H.R. 9547, to facilitate the application and operation of the Fish and Wildlife Act of 1956, 10 a.m., 219 Old House Office Building.

*Committee on Public Works*, executive, on S.J. Res. 137, to undertake studies and surveys relative to a highway construction program for Alaska, 10 a.m., 1302 New House Office Building.

Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors, to continue on title I of the omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill, to follow full committee, 1302 New House Office Building.

### Joint Committees

*Conferees*, executive, on H.R. 8900, proposed College Academic Facilities Act, 10 a.m., room EF-100, Capitol.

*Conferees*, executive, on H.R. 12391, proposed Food and Agriculture Act, 2 p.m., room F-82, Capitol.

*Conferees*, executive, on H.R. 12870, fiscal 1963 appropriations for military construction, 10 a.m., room P-63, Capitol.

*Conferees*, executive, on H.R. 12648, fiscal 1963 appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, 2 p.m., room P-63, Capitol.



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**Committee To Sit:** The Committee on Armed Services was granted permission to sit during debate of House sessions on Thursday and Friday next. Page 18005

**Foreign Government Interest Rate:** By a voice vote the House passed without amendment H.R. 12080, to permit domestic banks to pay interest on time deposits of foreign governments at rates differing from those applicable to domestic depositors. H. Res. 780, the rule making in order the consideration of the legislation, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

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**Padre Island National Seashore:** Concluded the consideration of S. 4, to provide for the establishment of the Padre Island National Seashore, but upon development of a record vote on its passage, final disposition of the bill was deferred to Thursday as previously agreed. A committee substitute amendment that supplied new text was adopted after being altered by adoption of a perfecting amendment. Rejected an amendment that would have required the purchase of mineral, oil, and gas rights by the Federal Government as well as surface rights.

H. Res. 776, the rule under which the bill was considered, had been adopted earlier by a voice vote.

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**Quorum Call:** During the proceedings of the House today one quorum call developed and it appears on page 18006.

**Program for Wednesday:** Adjourned at 3:21 p.m. until Wednesday, September 12, at 12 o'clock noon, when the House will consider H.R. 12718, to amend the Atomic Energy Act to provide for disposal of federally owned properties at Los Alamos, N. Mex. (1 hour of debate).

## Committee Meetings

### SMALL BUSINESS ACT

**Committee on Banking and Currency:** Subcommittee No. 2 continued hearings on H.R. 10518, and related bills, to amend the Small Business Act, to provide that the program under which the Government contracts are set aside for small business concerns shall not apply in the case of contracts for maintenance, repair, or construction. Heard testimony from public witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, September 12.

### SHARPE GENERAL DEPOT—CALIFORNIA

**Committee on Government Operations:** Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization held a hearing on the construction of an airfield at Sharpe General Depot, Lathrop, Calif. Heard testimony from governmental officials and an Army representative.

### AID

**Committee on Government Operations:** Subcommittee on Foreign Operations and Monetary Affairs continued hearings regarding the Agency for International Development. Heard testimony from various Agency for International Development officials. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

### JUDICIAL MISCELLANY

**Committee on the Judiciary:** The committee met in executive session and ordered reported favorably to the House the following bills:

H.R. 555, for the relief of Elmore County, Ala.;

H.R. 5753 (amended), to provide that district courts shall be always open for certain purposes, to abolish terms of court, and to regulate the sessions of the courts for transacting judicial business;

H.R. 8337 (amended), to amend section 113(a) of title 28, U.S. Code, to provide that Federal District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina shall be held at Goldsboro, Jacksonville, and Clinton;

S. 3156, to amend section 142, of title 28, U.S. Code, with regard to furnishing court quarters and accommodations at places where regular terms of court are authorized to be held;

H.R. 11678, to waive section 142 of title 28, U.S. Code, with respect to the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Ohio, Eastern Division, holding court at Akron, Ohio;

S. 1307, to amend section 128 of title 28, U.S. Code, to constitute Richland, Wash., a place of holding court for the eastern district of Washington, southern division, and to waive section 142 of title 28, U.S. Code, with respect to the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Washington, Southern Division, holding court at Richland, Wash.; and

H. Res. 774, to provide for sending H.R. 7561, for the relief of certain counties, cities, and other political subdivisions of the State of California, together with accompanying papers, to the Court of Claims.

Also took action on several private claim bills.

### FISH

**Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries:** Subcommittee on Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation held a hearing on H.R. 11343, and related bills, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to initiate a salmon and steelhead development program in California; and H.R. 9547, to facilitate the application and operation of the Fish and Wildlife Act of 1956. Heard testimony from Representatives Miller of California and Johnson of California; Averell Harriman, Assistant Secretary of State for Far Eastern Affairs; and Department of Interior witnesses. Hearings continue Wednesday, September 12.

## SECOND-CLASS MAIL

*Committee on Post Office and Civil Service:* Subcommittee, in executive session, ordered reported amended to the full committee H.R. 10696, to revise the requirements for information to be furnished annually to the Postmaster General by publications having second-class mail privileges.

Prior to taking action on the measure heard testimony in and open hearing from departmental and public witnesses.

## FLOOD CONTROL

*Committee on Public Works:* Subcommittee on Rivers and Harbors continued hearings on title I of the omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control bill. Heard testimony from Corps of Engineers officials. Hearings continue, Wednesday, September 12.

## HIGHWAYS—ALASKA

*Committee on Public Works:* Subcommittee on Roads, in executive session, ordered reported favorably to the full committee S.J. Res. 137, to authorize studies and surveys relative to a highway construction program in

Alaska. Also continued discussion of the Inter-American Highway and Rama Road.

## WEATHER SATELLITE

*Committee on Science and Astronautics:* Subcommittee No. 4 heard testimony from representatives of the Department of State on progress being made in the weather satellite development program.

## Joint Committee Meetings

### FARM BILL

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### APPROPRIATIONS—MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

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## BILLS SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT

### New Laws

(For last listing of public laws, see DIGEST, p. D821, September 10, 1962)

H.R. 7782, to convey 3 acres of public land to the Prince Georges General Hospital, Maryland. Signed September 10, 1962 (P.L. 87-652).

H.R. 5532, to amend in several regards the Armed Services Procurement Act of 1947. Signed September 10, 1962 (P.L. 87-653).

H.R. 7278, authorizing Hawaii to dispose of portions of Kahului, Wailuku, and Maui, not used for airport purposes. Signed September 10, 1962 (P.L. 87-654).

S. 1308, to incorporate the Sea Cadet Corps of America. Signed September 10, 1962 (P.L. 87-655).

S. 2321, to authorize the licensing of human tissue banks in the D.C. Signed September 10, 1962 (P.L. 87-656).

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

(All meetings are open unless otherwise designated)

### Senate

*Committee on Appropriations,* to resume its executive hearings on fiscal 1963 budget estimates for foreign aid, 2 p.m., 1223 New Senate Office Building.

*Committee on Commerce,* to continue its hearings on S. 3242 and S. 3243, the administration's transportation bills, 10 a.m., 5110 New Senate Office Building.

*Committee on the District of Columbia,* open followed by executive, on nominations and other committee business, 9:30 a.m., 6226 New Senate Office Building.

*Committee on Finance,* executive, on H.R. 11970, proposed Trade Expansion Act, 10 a.m., 2221 New Senate Office Building.

*Committee on Foreign Relations,* Subcommittee on American Republics Affairs, executive, to meet with Edwin M. Martin, Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs, 4:30 p.m., room F-53, Capitol.

*Committee on Government Operations,* Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, on the financial activities of Billie Sol Estes, 2 p.m., 318 Old Senate Office Building.

*Committee on the Judiciary,* to hold hearings to enable certain steel company officials (Bethlehem Steel Corp., Republic Steel Corp., National Steel Corp., and Armco Steel Corp.) to show cause why they did not respond to subpoenas issued recently by the Antitrust and Monopoly Subcommittee to appear and produce certain steel cost data, 10:30 a.m., 2228 New Senate Office Building.

*Committee on Rules and Administration,* executive, on committee business, 10 a.m., 301 Old Senate Office Building.

*Select Committee on Small Business,* to receive reports from the Defense Department and Small Business Administration on their small business procurement programs for 1962 and 1963, 10 a.m., room SE-226, Capitol.

### House

*Committee on Agriculture,* on H.R. 11745, re land transfer, Florida; H.R. 11554, re land transfer, North Carolina; S. 2859, re crop insurance, increase number of new counties; S. 3517, re lumber industry; and S. 3120, re movement of diseased animals; to be followed by executive session on pending legislation, 10 a.m., 1310 New House Office Building.

*Committees on Armed Services, Foreign Affairs,* joint committee meeting, executive, briefing by Secretary of State Dean Rusk, and representatives of the Defense Department and the

*Referring file*